Docket No.: 21900US (C038435/0196418)

| REPLY UNDER |
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| 37 CFR § 1.116 |
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| EXPEDITED PROCEDURE |
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| For: | LIGHT PROTECTING COMPOSITION WITH REDUCED TOTAL AMOUNT OF UV FILTER CONTAINING A POLYSILOXANE- BASED UV FILTER |) | New York | New Yor |
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| Filed: | December 4, 2006 |) | Art Unit: 1616 | |
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| Katja BERG et al. | |) | | |
| In re Patent Application of: | |) | | |

New York, New York June 21, 2011

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116 INCLUDING AMENDMENT

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2011, which set a three-month shortened statutory period for response. Accordingly, this response is filed timely upon transmission, with an executed certificate of transmission, on or before Application No.: 10/578,792 Response Dated: June 21, 2011

Reply to Office Action Dated: March 22, 2011

June 22, 2011. 37 CFR §§ 1.6(a)(4) and 1.8. No fee is believed to be due. If it is determined that a fee is due, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 02-4467.

Because the Office Action made the rejection of the pending claims final, consideration of this response pursuant to the expedited procedure for response after final rejection set forth in MPEP § 714.13 (8th Ed., Rev. 5, Aug. 2006, pp. 700-261 to 700-262) respectfully is solicited.

Please amend the application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION: None.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS: begin on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 6 of this paper.